

6th March, 1987

Her Majesty's Attorney General

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Dennis Jeffrey Godwin

**BAILIFF:** Godwin, you are fortunate. The Jurats take the view that because we have not yet tried sentences other than imprisonment, and that imprisonment does not appear to do any good so far, they are prepared to take a calculated risk and place you on probation for two years, and you will do 120 hours community service. But, I have to warn you that this is your last chance in this Court, and I want to make it quite clear that if you fail, the Court might not consider the nine month sentence asked for by the Attorney General if you came back here to be adequate. Do you understand? Very well.

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Authority referred to :-

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